### Oswald Larson Beats Flatley In Close Run

## Former Chicago Athlete

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### Manhattan Big Five **Defeats Team From** The 13th Infantry

The Manhattan Big Five basketball team was compelled to play at its best esterday. The score was 49 to 39. The | crooks. soldiers, who are members of the reg-ular army, frightened their rivals by strong rallies toward the end in each

## Morse Dry Dock Team

finalists by defeating the strong eleven

## IN ALL FAIRNESS W. O. M'GEEHAN

THE campaign for Sunday baseball for New York will open this week when Colonel T. L. Huston, half owner of the New York American League Baseball Club, will head a delegation to the state Legisla-Is Victor in Bronx ture. The delegation will ask for the repeal of the law which prohibits the playing of professional baseball on Sundays. Considerable encour-League Handieap Contest agement has been held out to the advocates of Sunday games, and those interested have become hopeful that they will carry their point,

This is the first concerted effort that has been made to secure Sunrunner, marked his affiliation with the day baseball for this vicinity. The delegation has the approval of rep-Mehawk Athletic Club by winning the resentative citizens, including high army officials, judges and clergymen. fast time and individual honors in the Labor leaders also have indorsed the application on the ground that weekly handicap run of the Bronx Ath- workingmen and their families have only Sunday afternoons to see letic League, held over the Pastime baseball games. These leaders resent the idea that Sunday games would

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I'll back Colonel Huston against my anonymous correspondent, who, an started with 30 seconds and the four and a half miles in Wilson's time of 24:18 was the fastest for the distance. The coners went to the St. Anselm's tith 24 points, followed by the ks with 31 and St. Francis Caththere and they played baseball on Sundays. But I don't think that the field of twenty-six runners competed, Colonel has any Babylonian ideas. Never knew that Babylon had a ball but seven failed to complete the full club on any circuit. Don't think that it did. A good ball club might distance. It was the record pack of have saved Babylon.

### Will Hear Plea for Boxing

The suffering Solons are also slated to receive a visit from the advocates of boxing next week. Senator Gibbs, whose boxing bill probably will be substituted for the Malone bill, wants to get an earful as to how to rehabilitate and conserve the sport that made Jim Corbett an actor and Jess Willard a centleman farmer

The Senator is getting more advice than the league of nations, as it is, but a little more will not hurt. Even a body as sagacious as the New York Legislature cannot legislate boxing into respectability. There are no laws tight enough to keep the old game together if the element which once predominated in it is permitted to get hold again.

The boxing game seems to have come out of the world war considerably whitewashed and with some advocates who formerly opposed it violently. This is not because professional prizefighters saw the necessity of fighting but because the men who did the fighting took a liking

With its restoration, boxing will have all the chance in the world if the promoters will behave themselves. Public opinion will be the judge and jury in its case. If the same old fakes that were perpetrated under the Whitman commission are staged again, no laws and regulations can to defeat the 13th Infantry, which is save boxing. The game will be cast into the discard forever. The pernow stationed at Camp Merritt, in their sonnel of the new boxing commission will be the main thing. Men are weekly contest at Manhattan Casino wanted who have the courage and the independence to keep out the

### The Appointing of Judges

The provision for leaving the decision on bouts to two judges and the referee seems wise. It will depend upon the calibre of the judges. It is certain that there will be betting on prizefights. There was betting even on the no-decision contests under the old law, the bettors ting even on the no-decision contests under the old law, the betters to 20. The Manhattan players ushed the attack throughout the second half, with Sam Belsky, the forward, laways in the fight. He caged eight With fights of any consequence the professional gamblers will try

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that will cause scandals. There are always scandals where the prother forward position, failed to score
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resulting the follows:

There should be plenty of men willing to act as judges of boxing matches without expense to the state. Boxing, prizefighting, or whatever you care to call it, has some celebrated patrons, and many of them are keen judges as to points in matches. Some of these should volunteer to act as judges, if they really are interested in the preservation of the sport. Boxing needs friends in this come-back, for this is positively its last chance to be decent.

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goals to 0 at Lenox Gval in the fourth round of the United States Football Association's annual competition, thereby qualifying for the semi-finals. The ship repairers from Brooklyn were in fine fettle, and by monopolizing the play in the first period established a winning lead by half time, when both tallies had been made. The first point came from a pass by Holfstep on the right, to Beardsworth, who found New York's goal after twenty-

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### Herzig Lands **Double Honors** In Long Race

Brooklyn A. A. Runner Leads the Field Home First in Fastest Time

By A. C. Cavagnaro

The unusual feat of capturing both that achieved by Samuel Herzig, Brook lyn Athletic Association, in heading ome the field of runners in the week ly handleap road run of the Long Island

Set Pace for Field

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Herzig made most of his running luring the early stages of the race. For the first two miles Thomas Thomas, comet Club, and Frank Youkis, Agrount Athletic Club, both of whom had be limit allowance of 4 minutes 30 econds, set the pace for the field. Heries, closely followed by Milofsky, who was taking the former's pace, closed in on the leaders at this point. Herzig lid not slacken his pace after overtaking the field, but continued on at his astelip.

istelip. Milofsky challengeed Herzig deter minedly up to the three-mile point where he began to falter. The Brook-lyn runner then easily opened up day-light from Milofsky and afterward set his own pace to the finish.

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The scratch man was Hans Schuster, swedish-American Athletic Club, who, towever, succumbed to the great race on by Herzig. Schuster succeeded in sulling up to tenth position at the inish, but not until he had sped the ast half mile at his best. Schuster's time of 25:53 was 15 seconds slower than Herzig's.

The summary follows:

### Cerino Home First in

ARL R. ERDMAN, Princeton University (on top), and Walker Smith, Cornell University (standing), two of the speediest hurdlers in the collegiate ranks, who are entered for the 70-yard high hurdle senior national championship at the coming annual games in the 13th Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, on next Saturday evening. Erdman is the intercollegiate outdoor champion, and, despite his lack of practice, due to his service in the army, ran remarkably well in the recent Millrose games. He looms up as the favorite. Smith is also a dangerous timber topper. Incidentally, he is the only Cornell entry in the games, and his entrance by Jack Moakley, the Ithaca coach, means that the veteran trainer believes that his charge has a splendid chance to win,



# Schedule Announced by

The schedule for the Public Schools April 19 Clinton at Evander, Stuyvesant at Townsend, Morris at Curtis. 26 Evander at Stuyvesant, Curtis at Clinton, Townsend at Commerce. game since being invalided home from France, and Murray.

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The tourney was stonged during the The tourney was stopped during the alism. However, since then the teams of the city have played the sport without the taint of eagerness for money, with the result that the league

MANHATTAN-BRONX-RICHMOND DIVI-

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May 3—Stuyvesant at Curtis, Clinton at Townsend. Commerce at Evander. 10—Townsend at Morris, Curtis at Commerce, 17—Morris at Commerce, Curtis at Townsend, Stuyvesant at Clinton. 24—Clinton at Morris, Evander at Curtis, Commerce at Stuyvesant. 30—Morris at Stuyvesant. Com-

### Four Gunners Tie for Scratch Prize in Shoot

Dr. Short Victor at the Travers Island Traps; Thirty-one Compete

Perfect shooting conditions were responsible for exceptional scores being made in the week-end shoot of the New York Athletic Club at Travers Island yesterday. No less than four of the thirty-one nimroda who took part in the shoot tied for the high scratch prize, with 96 out of a possible 100 targets. It was the largest number that has ever tied with so large a score for

total were Dr. W. B. Short, who has just returned from the army; A. L. Burns, W. G. Allen and J. O'Neill. The winners shot off for the prize, the winner finally proving to be the doctor. J. C. Taylor also did some good shooting yesterday, winning both the high handicap and the special handicap prizes.

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The special scratch prize was taken by R. L. Spotts, the former national champion. In the shoot at the "ghost" targets, the tiny white "birds" were broken by B. E. Eldred, W. B. Ogden and F. W. Peters.

Legs on the accumulation and the tournament cups were scored by all gunners with 25 targets. The gunners with 50 targets were credited with legs on the Byronel Cup.

The scores:

### Frank Titterton Best In Morningside Run

Frank Titterton, the best of the Pastime Athletic Club distance runners, 'spreadeagled" his field of rivals in

"aprendeagled" his field of rivals in the weekly invitation run of the Morningside Athletic Club yesterday. Titterton was always a contender, and, leaping away into his best speed at the first mile point, led thereafter, to win by three and a half minutes.

William Burke, Paulist Athletic Club, was second, one minute in front of Ollic S. Weeks, the forty-seven-year-old "athlete," who was third. Three members of the 22d Infantry, now at Governors Island, and B. Horner, 102d Engineers, who recently rener, 102d Engineers, who recently re-turned from France, were among the

ompetitors.
The summary follows:

La Sultanas Win, 3 to 1

the N. Y. Combination League game at Recreation Park, Astoria, yesterday, lost to the La Sultanas by 3 goals to 1. Haup, with two goals, and Maroney, with one, did the scoring for the winners, and Alasus, a Spanish player, negotiated the Manhattans goal in the first period.

# April 26—Manual at Erasmus, Bushwick at Manual, Commercial at Boys', Erasmus at New Utrecht, May 3—Commercial at Manual, Boys' at